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**To:**  
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Dear Parents/Guardians:

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Happy Groundhog Day! It seems that the groundhogs cannot agree on whether we will have an early spring or not. Here's praying that it warms and spring comes sooner than later. We have noticed that some of our students have not been dressing appropriately for the winter weather. Please ensure that they are coming to school with mitts, hats, boots and warm winter jackets/snow pants.

As we head through this pandemic, our grade 1 class moved to online classes this week. They will return, if well, to school on Friday 11 February 2022.

We ask parents to please continue letting the school know if the status of your child's health changes at any time – whether students are in-person or online. This supports keeping our other students and staff healthy. Please continue to use the [Alberta Health Services Daily Checklist](#). This will tell you whether your child is well enough to come to school or needs to stay home.

We are expecting another shipment of masks and 1 test kit from the Government of Alberta to come any day now. When these arrive and are ready to distribute, we will let families know.

## **Yelo'd Ice Cream Orders**

As emailed out on Monday, our school council is hosting an ice cream fundraiser through Yelo'd until February 4. Order directly through Yelo'd at <https://www.yelod.ca/fundraising>.

## **Grade 4, 5 and 6 Sledge Hockey**

A reminder that Grades 4, 5 and 6 students will be attending Castledowns Skating Arena on Wednesday 9 February 2022 to make up this last session. If your child has a hockey helmet, please send it with them this day. Please also ensure that they have mitts or gloves.

No new field trip form will be required as we have the original from December. If you have further questions or need to update your field trip form, please contact your child's teacher prior to 8 February 2022.

## **Grade 7 Junior High Open Houses**

Our Grade 6 students will have a presentation from St. Cecilia tomorrow, Thursday 3 February 2022 at 9:00 am. This will be a virtual presentation on the Advanced Science/Math Academy and Jean Forrest Girls Academy.

For the most up-to-date information, please check the junior high school website(s).

## **Attachments**

Please see a letter from our parish, St. Edmund, regarding sacrament preparation and our February 2022 calendar.

Included is also the Chief Superintendent's letter and Archbishop Smith.

This month's YMCA's Family Resource Network Newsletter can be found [here](https://mailchi.mp/northernalberta.ymca.ca/family-resource-network-newsletter-february2022?e=a17ab42044) (<https://mailchi.mp/northernalberta.ymca.ca/family-resource-network-newsletter-february2022?e=a17ab42044>).

Please also check your email for grade specific information from your child's classroom teacher should there be any.

Take care, stay safe!

Sincerely,

*Ms. J. Hertlein & Ms. C. Letwin,*

*Administration, Katherine Therrien*



*Rooted in faith, we are committed to student-centered learning and empowering children to use their minds, hearts and hands to serve others as disciples of Jesus.*

#### Attached Files

[February2022\\_Calendar.pdf](#)

[Chief Superintendent February 2022.pdf](#)

[Archbishop Smith article.pdf](#)

[StEdmundChurch\\_school note easter cycle 2022-1.pdf](#)



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